

Seventh War Loan Drive To Start on Monday and Continue to July

REPORT FOR MONTH OF MARCH, 1945

Quota assigned to Randall County for month of March	\$20,900.00
Total local sales for month of March	26,493.75
Amount in excess of March quota	\$ 5,593.75

SEVENTH WAR LOAN DRIVE

The E War Savings Bonds quota assigned to Randall County for the Seventh War Loan Drive is \$150,000.00 and beginning Monday, April 9th, sales of E War Savings Bonds will count on this quota. The Over-All quota for Randall County for the Seventh War Loan Drive has not yet been announced.

New Furniture For Legion Hall

Building Being Equipped For Return of Veterans From World War II

Divans, chairs, table, mirrors, and two lamps have been installed in the reception room of the American Legion Hall as partial refurnishing of the hall. These pieces of furniture were made possible by donations from the Legionaires, business concerns, parents and friends of service men and women who are in the service now.

The Legion and Auxiliary have undertaken to make the Legion Hall attractive for the returning War II Veterans to have as a social center. Some more furniture and fittings are needed to have the hall in the condition that the committee would like.

If you did not make a contribution in the fall when this project was first undertaken, why not send a donation to Ray Campbell, John Hunter, Andy Walsh, Hud Prichard, Mrs. Guy B. Tabor or Mrs. Allan Farlow now. Make your check payable to Legion-Auxiliary Furniture Fund.

We hope not too long a time will pass before these boys and girls will be returning to use the Hall and we would like very much to have everything ready for them.

Union Services When Peace Is Sure in Europe

When peace comes in Germany, the churches of Canyon will hold a union service at the Baptist Church.

If peace comes before 2 o'clock in the afternoon, citizens of Canyon will gather at the church for a service of prayer at 8 o'clock that evening.

If peace comes after 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the service will be held at 11 o'clock the following morning at the church.

Business houses are planning to declare a holiday on the day that peace is declared.

Lt. E. Burroughs Is Promoted in Army Air Corps



LIEUT. E. BURROUGHS

15th AAF IN ITALY—Recently promoted First Lieutenant E. Burroughs, 21, son of Mrs. E. Burroughs, 1804 Fourth Ave., Canyon, Texas, has flown his 35th combat mission in his theatre.

Lt. Burroughs has participated in many attacks against important enemy installations in southern and central Europe. "I've come a long way since my first mission," said Burroughs, "but I haven't forgotten it for a minute. We went after the Florisolf oil refineries at Vienna, and believe me, it was a hot day over the target. Our plane caught about 25 holes and had an engine knocked out. The roughest part of the deal was seeing seven of our planes blow up or go down in flames. It all happened so quickly that it was hard to believe. We sure did get broken in the hard way."

A graduate of Canyon High School, Burroughs attended West Texas State College before entering the service in February of 1943. Commissioned on April 15th of last year, he arrived overseas in October and holds the Air Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heafner have left for Mosquero, New Mexico, to make their home on the ranch that they recently bought.

Lt. Jimmie Carr Was Killed Feb. 15 in France



Lt. JIMMIE CARR

Lieut. Jimmie Carr was killed in France, Feb. 15, according to a telegram from the War Department to his father, Jim Carr, Thursday, March 29.

Lieut. Carr left Canyon with the National Guard to become a part of Texas "36" with Co. F. of the 142 Inf. He had been overseas approximately two years and had risen to the rank of Lieutenant thru promotions won by service on the field of battle. He had served as platoon leader for some time.

Among his awards were the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman's Award and oak leaf clusters. Previously he had been wounded twice. The first wound was a head wound. As he was returning to the front after recovering from that wound he was wounded in the shoulder and sent back to the hospital before he reached his unit.

Lt. Carr is survived by his father, and three sisters: Mrs. Bill Charles of Albuquerque, New Mex.; Mrs. Lola McDaniel of Canyon; and Mrs. Lorene Brown of Englewood, California.

Mrs. Charles and daughters, Betty Jean and Billy Ann came to Canyon Thursday and remained with her father and sister until Monday when Mr. Carr went with her to Albuquerque for a few days.

Jas. Ross Gidden Wounded on Iwo Jima Fighting Japs

Pvt. James Ross Gidden of the 3rd Marine Division has written his mother, Mrs. Frances Gidden from the U. S. Naval Receiving Hospital in San Francisco that he was wounded in the fighting on Iwo Jima. He says the wounds are not serious and he hopes to be coming home on leave soon.

Pvt. Gidden has been in the services one year and has been overseas since September.

His letter to his mother arrived Friday. She had received no word from the War Department concerning his having been wounded. He wrote no details.

Two Trustees to be Named Saturday in School Election

Saturday is the date for holding the annual election of school trustees. Elections will be held in all common and independent school districts of the county.

Two trustees are to be elected in the Canyon Independent School District. The names of Ross Craig and J. W. Spencer are the only candidates for trustee printed on the official ballots. Both are candidates for re-election.

VAUGHANS ATTEND REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Vaughan spent the week end in Elk City, Okla. for a family reunion in the home of Mrs. Vaughan's mother, Mrs. Mattie Goodrum.

Those present attended services at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning. Afterwards a buffet dinner was served to the thirty-five members of the family.

CEMETERY ASS'N MEET

Saturday afternoon, April 7, the Cemetery Association will meet in the Thompson Club Room at 4:00 o'clock.

Sam Johnson, U. S. N. R. V-12, son of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, arrived Thursday for a week's leave from Tulane University, New Orleans, where he is a naval medical student.



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Collections Red Cross to \$9,182

County Chairman T. V. Reeves Expresses Thanks For County Cooperation

The people of Randall county had contributed \$9,182.04 to the Red Cross War Fund up to Tuesday noon, according to T. V. Reeves, chairman of the War Drive.

The quota set for Randall county was \$6,000. The quota has therefore been surpassed by more than 50%. A few committee reports are yet to be made, states Mr. Reeves. While the drive came to an official end Saturday, those who have not made their contributions are urged by Mr. Reeves to do so at once.

Mr. Reeves wishes to thank all who assisted in the Red Cross Drive. A large number of Randall county citizens devoted considerable time to the drive, making a thorough canvass of the communities in which they lived. Thanks are due not only to these workers, but also to the people for making such generous response to the Red Cross needs.

Many Drivers Do Not Have a Proper License

Approximately 250,000 persons driving motor vehicles in Texas do not have valid operators' licenses, says Director Homer Garrison of the Department of Public Safety.

This isn't a deliberate, wholesale violation of the law, Garrison observed. It's simply the result of drivers failing to observe the expiration dates of their licenses.

Sporadic renewals create a difficult labor situation in that division, and motorists are urged to check the date stamped on their licenses. Ordinary operators' licenses expire two years from date of issue; chauffeurs' and commercial operators' licenses, one year from date of issue.

Application blanks are available at Drivers License and Highway Patrol offices, courthouses, and some city halls, and service stations.

Scholastic Count Goes to 770 in Report of Orton

A total of 770 children of scholastic age were enumerated in the Canyon Independent School District by S. B. Orton, according to his report yesterday.

This is an increase of 75 over the total enumerated last year. The largest number of scholastics ever enumerated in the Canyon district was 790 when the count was taken three years ago.

Reports from Austin indicate that the appointment for the coming school year will amount to \$31 per child, or a total of \$23,870 for the Canyon Independent School District.

Funeral of Mrs. Thos. D. Ficke Is Held at Happy

Mrs. Thomas D. Ficke died Sunday at a hospital in Amarillo. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church in Happy. The family lived southeast of Canyon for a number of years, but moved to Groom where they have recently lived.

Surviving are: the husband; one son, Joe Don Ficke; one daughter, Frances Ann Ficke; one brother, Floyd Swearingen of Happy; one sister, Mrs. Fred Stronhmeyer of Happy; and her father, Samuel Swearingen of Happy.

LEGION-AUXILIARY MEET

Monday night is the regular meeting night of the Palo Duro Post of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary. Each unit will meet in its business sessions at 8:00 o'clock. There will be no social hour this month.

Members of the Auxiliary are urged to be present and to bring their thimbles. We need to do some work on the drapes that were hung last year.

IS SOCIETY EDITOR

Mrs. Bill Money has been appointed society editor of the Pampa News. Her husband is in the Philippines with the Marine Corps. Both are from this city.

Mrs. Money was a reporter on the Canyon News before her marriage. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hinkle of Canyon are her parents, and Capt. Olin E. Hinkle of Ellington Field is her brother. Mrs. Money has been working on the Pampa News for several months.

C. O. COOPER ILL

C. O. Cooper who was stricken seriously ill Saturday afternoon with stomach and gall bladder trouble is improving at his home.

Buy Another War Bond Today!

Call Is Made For Books For Men Overseas

A call is being made from the National Red Cross for thousands of books for overseas shipment. The local unit needs books on travel, novels, biography and books on scientific subjects.

Any books on these topics that are in good condition are acceptable.

These books must be in the hands of the Red Cross by Tuesday afternoon, April 10.

Books may be left at Jarrett Drug or at Warwick Printing Co.

The local unit is also opening the work room from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock on Monday and Wednesday and from 1:00 to 5:00 on Saturday to accept old clothes for the National Clothing Drive.

Shoes, coats, bedding, and children's clothing are especially needed. However all wearable clothing is wanted.

In the last drive made by the Red Cross for clothing there was time given for the units to see that the clothing was clean, but this time they are stressing the fact that the donations should be clean when sent to the center.

The Red Cross is not interfering with any other unit or units that may be collecting clothing for this drive but is opening to give an opportunity for everyone to have a place available to deposit these clothes.

Large Group of Men Left Monday Induction Station

A large group of men left Canyon Monday morning for Oklahoma City for induction into the armed services, and for their physical examinations. This is the first time that the local board has sent two groups of men in one day, one for induction, and the other for physical examination.

It is reported that the call for men from all local boards has been heavier than usual for April.

The local board will not receive the official returns on these men before Friday.

Second General in County Is Named By the President

Randall county has a second General in the Army.

General Ralph Cousins, West Point graduate, was the No. one military man from Randall county when he was made Major General at the beginning of the war.

James W. Younger is now a Brigadier General. He has been a Colonel since the beginning of the war, and was advanced to General by the President this week.

MRS. FOSTER IMPROVED

Mrs. G. G. Foster was seriously ill at her home last week, but is reported to be improved this week.

Her son, G. D. Foster, was here from his home at Colorado City for several days, called by the illness of his mother.

Miss Ida Brandt left Sunday night for Austin to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. T. J. Rosson.

Mrs. J. D. Key visited children in Abernathy and Lubbock from Thursday through Sunday.

Cpl. and Mrs. Mickle Visiting Parents



Cpl. and Mrs. Ed D. Mickle, Jr., arrived Tuesday from Orlando, Florida to spend a few days in the parental Ed Mickle home before going to San Antonio to visit with Mrs. Mickle's mother, Mrs. Era Manning. They were delayed for several hours in Shreveport on account of flood waters.

Milton Morris Is Honored at Austin



Leadership in putting Texas at the top of large quota state in last fall's National War Fund campaign stood attested by a silver trophy in possession of Milton Morris, Canyon, chairman for Randall county.

Randall led all Texas counties with 208.9 per cent of quota subscribed. Judge Ben H. Powell, president of the United War Chest of Texas which carried on the drive, presented the trophy at last week's war chest board meeting in Austin.

"The lion's share of the credit," Morris said in accepting the trophy, "must be given to the Randall County Farm Victory Council of which W. E. Bennett is president and County Agent W. H. Upchurch is secretary. The council raised more than 50 per cent of the Randall county quota."

Auto Plates Are Above '44 Total

Truck Plate Sales Are Little Under Last Year States M. E. Cantrell

A total of 2876 license plates were issued in Randall county this year as compared to 2532 issued on the same date of last year.

More automobile plates were issued this year than in 1944. The number of trucks is slightly under that of last year.

According to the report of yesterday, 1134 license plates for cars had been issued at the court house, and 834 at the office of the collector in South Amarillo.

On commercial trucks the Amarillo office led with 139 as compared to 89 for Canyon.

There was a total of 680 farm trucks registered.

The amount of money collected had not been compiled as Capt. R. M. Allred, deputy of the South Amarillo office, made his report only yesterday.

The amount of collections and the response of the people in buying their plates early was greatly appreciated by the office, stated M. E. Cantrell, tax collector.

Mrs. W. S. Myers, Mrs. Bob Combee and children from Amarillo and Mrs. Bud Myers and son spent the week end in Lubbock with relatives.

Miss Oma Robertson spent Easter in Wellington in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham are the new managers of the Hiway Gulf Station at 2210 3rd and the Hiway.

Cold Wave Hits 11 Temperature

Second Time This Year to So Low Mark—Fruit Is Probably All Killed

The fruit crop of the Panhandle was probably ruined Tuesday night by the 11 degree temperature. This was the second time for the winter that the mercury sagged to this low point.

Easter Sunday was one of the finest days of the year. The temperature rose to 80 degrees during the afternoon, with hardly a breeze blowing. The Panhandle enjoyed the finest Easter day of the nation.

The change started Monday when a north wind swept in, dropping the mercury to 38 degrees above zero. The cold kept on piling up, with a low record of 26 degrees on Tuesday.

The low mark was hit Wednesday morning when the temperature sagged to 11 degrees above zero. Fruit trees have been in full bloom for several days. It is assumed by all citizens that none of the fruit crop is left because of this heavy freeze. The freeze spread all over the Southwest, and it is feared that the fruit crop has been materially damaged.

A light snow fell over the Plains Tuesday.

Pvt. Walter Webb Narrowly Escaped Injury From Shell

Special to News: U. S. Army Headquarters, Pacific Ocean Areas.—Three members of the guard of a general hospital in the Marianas, on duty at one of the hospital area outposts, were sitting around a discarded oil drum in which trash was burning. The heavy smoke kept away the insects. Suddenly there was a terrific explosion as pieces of metal tore through the drum and tin cans flew skyward 12 feet or more. Luckily no one was injured.

Technical Sgt. Joao Serrenho, 45, of 7 Franklin St., Ludlow, Mass., sergeant of the guard, who was a member of the trio expressed the opinion that the explosion was caused by an old mortar shell that had been dumped into the drum with the trash.

The other members of the guard who were present when the explosion occurred are Pfc. Walter Webb, 38, of Route 1, Canyon, Texas, and Pvt. Marvin Blumenfeld, 19, of 1326 Temple Place, St. Louis, Mo.

Giles Asks Land Sales For Vets of World War II

Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, has recommended a constitutional amendment to the legislature for the purpose of selling public lands of Texas to returning War II veterans. Under his proposal federal lands on which military camps are now located would be sold to veterans; excess prison lands; school lands and other state lands of Texas which are not needed.

Giles hopes that the legislature will act on this amendment so that veterans may be able to secure farms at low prices and on easy payments.

SON SENDS EASTER GREETING

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gerald received a cablegram Easter greeting Saturday afternoon from their son, Charles, who is in the infantry on the Western front with the 42nd Rainbow Division in the 7th Army. Charles has been in the service since September of 1944 and has been on the front 2½ months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker visited her brother, William Strain, and family in El Paso for the Easter Holidays. While there they went on a conducted tour of the City of Chihuahua. Mr. Barker went on to Hot Springs, New Mex. to visit an uncle and to spend a few days resting.

Lowell Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Johnson, who is with the merchant marines has been transferred from New Orleans, La., to Houston, Texas, and is at home on a seven day leave before reporting to duty there.

Miss Billie Bee Flesher, who teaches at Artesia spent Easter in the parental C. R. Flesher home. She was accompanied home by Capt. Paul Sullivan, who is stationed at the Roswell Air Base, Roswell, New Mexico.

Roll of Honor

Killed in Action

Lt. Jimmie Carr, France, Feb. 15, 1945.

Wounded in Action

Pvt. James Ross Gidden, Iwo Jima, 1945.

Editorials

Trouble seems to be brewing for the San Francisco peace parley. Again it is Russia which is stirring up the trouble. It all results in the suspicion which has existed between Stalin and Churchill. After Stalin took over in Russia, neither Britain nor the United States would recognize his government. We refused to do business with the Reds. When the war started, and it looked as if Hitler was going to conquer Europe, Stalin accuses Churchill of urging Hitler to first attack Russia, and let England alone. This may be preposterous, but Stalin is the big boy in Europe today, and he can be tough. Churchill demands six seats at the peace parley for the British Empire. Stalin frowns on this, and in retaliation has demanded three seats for Russia. Roosevelt is charged with making a secret agreement with Stalin to give Russia three seats and in return the United States would get three seats. Washington is reported to be in an uproar about Roosevelt's start in making secret agreements, and the whole peace plan is now under scrutiny. To cap the climax, Stalin is not sending his top men to the conference. Every action, day by day, must be transmitted to Moscow for approval. Old World diplomacy seems to be working overtime, and the suspicions we have held for the Reds throughout the years are slowing up peace procedures. Be that as it may, it is a cheerful thought that the world is looking toward peace and planning permanent peace before the war is over. We certainly do not want to be caught short as we were after World War I, when all peace plans were brushed aside and Hitler's opportunity was thrown into his lap by the nations which rebelled against each other.

Do we have another smear campaign on? Are certain men trying to smear General MacArthur? If you have not read, here are charges being made against him: That instead of taking high military men with him in his flight from the Philippines, he took his wife and son, and some treasured furniture; that his wife and son were returned to Manila after the conquest by our troops, while the wives of other military men were refused transportation; that MacArthur has refused to allow inspection of hospitals in the Philippines by the ranking medical officers of the army. Maybe this is part of a political plan, who knows? You will recall that MacArthur blasted the administration for refusing to give him sufficient military support and supplies before the Republican nominating convention last year. At that time he was considered a likely candidate for president. Maybe it is pure jealousy on the part of other officers. In no phase of our American life does jealousy become more bitter than among officers of the armed service. Again, we shall see what we shall see.

Governor Stevenson is worried. He labored over a period of years to get Texas out of the red. The state is now on a cash basis, but will not be for long. The usual temptation confronts the legislature of spending more money than there is income. The tragic part is that regular established institutions and departments are the ones which suffer in such a case. When the legislature met, there was money in the treasury. As a result the members rusher to introduce appropriation bills which would take care of pet measures. These have been passed, yet the institutions and departments which must look after the regular business of the state have not received their appropriations, and likely these bills will be the last passed. This is the same old, old story. It has always happened when there was a seemingly flush condition of the treasury.

A banquet was given the other day in Washington in honor of Aubrey Williams, who was rejected as rural electrification administrator. The President was trying to pay another political debt in this appointment. Who were the speakers? Naturally, Henry A. Wallace and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, who advise "that you win by keeping on fighting for the things you want." Was this a warning to the nation that the administration intends putting Williams over, in spite of his lack of electrical training?

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The legislature has submitted a constitutional amendment which would raise the pay of legislators from \$10 per day while in session to \$3650 per year. This amendment will be submitted to the people in the general election of 1946. There will probably be considerable discussion of the measure at that time. Since the Newsman served on a state committee which put over the increase of pay of the legislators from \$5 to \$10 per day, we have a few ideas on this present proposal. The members need a raise, owing to the increased cost of living in Austin. Also, probably half of the members spend a great deal of their time in looking after public business, while the legislature is not in session. The other half does nothing much either in Austin or at home in the manner of looking after public business. Frankly, the quality of legislators was not improved when the last raise was voted by the people. Instead of improving the quality of legislators, the age average of the members was dropped, and practically all middle aged members were defeated. Youth had its day, in order to get \$10 per day. Increasing the pay to \$3650 per year may not increase the quality of the members. If the legislature had tacked on one little simple amendment, we should look with more favor of this proposal. That is, this increase would be allowed only in case the legislature carried out the constitutional mandate of redistricting the state after each and every federal census. The legislature has refused to do this, because the representatives of small East Texas districts would lose their jobs.

E. I. Hill, in Lynn County News: If Hitler and Himmler and other Nazi cut-throats are not devils incarnate, we hope that not one ever appears on this earth. Having led Germany into a brutal war and having poisoned the minds of millions of German people by their lying and hypocrisy, and having led their dotting dupes like lambs to the slaughter, they are now deluding and urging and threatening and prodding the children—boys and girls—to throw themselves in the path of the oncoming armies of the Allies and thus court certain death and destruction in a vain attempt to stop the invading armies. It's about as sensible as throwing babies in front of a locomotive in the hope of thus stopping the thing. These demons, cornered and desperate, seem determined to bring the same fate to all their other people, even to their own friends and servile slaves. Telling the children that they must never capitulate, these demons are organizing and training them for under-ground guerilla warfare after the German armies of "supermen" have been dissipated or destroyed. Nero, who caused youths to be thrown to the lions, was a saint as compared with the men who rule present-day Germany.

The News receives a number of publications, and a whole batch of circulars which warn us of the impending dangers of American liberties. It is all confusing. If you are to believe half of this dope, America is right on the verge of going to the dogs in a big way. The Reds in this nation are about to take over; the people to be starved to death; all private enterprise to be eradicated; and so on and so forth. We believe that these publications and bulletins have a good effect, regardless of the fantastical stand which they take. We do not doubt that there are plenty of people in authority in Washington who would like to continue running the government and bossing the people around to the end of time. But in the end American good sense will take care of this group. This opposition is needed. Our government is built on the theory of checks and balances. The more checks there are, the better the balance. The governed have a right to a voice, even in war times. Regardless of what we may think or hear or say, this government lacks a lot of having gone absolutely to the dogs.

We see that the University of Texas is being blacklisted by the American Association of University Professors. Just what does that mean to the man on the street? As we understand it, in the words of the common man, the professors union (or guild—a high toned phrase) has blacklisted our university, so that no member will be able to accept employment in this Texas institution. In other words, we have a strike on against the university. That seems to be the facts in simple language. Incidentally, in a few years the University of Texas will be the richest educational institution in the world, if its oil royalties hold out. Some of these striking professors may be glad to have a job in our university.

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ARE WE READY FOR COMMUNISM?

In a recent editorial, the Kansas City Times said that a glance at the record of the Farm Security Administration will explain much of the Congressional distrust of the methods and dreams that have been embraced in its operations.

Questionable practices indulged in by the FSA have been made public by a House Committee made up of four Democrats and three Republicans. The Committee's findings were unanimous and show practices that are almost unbelievable. Paragraphs quoted in the times show that "the FSA was financing communistic resettlement projects, where the families could never own homes or be paid off for all they made for all the time they worked, and was supervising its borrowers to the extent of telling the borrower how to raise his children, how to plan his home life, and, it is strongly suspected in some cases, how to vote."

The FSA administrators "made loans and grants of Federal funds according to their own wishes and desires, and for just about everything from marriage licenses to burial expenses. They provided funds for the payment of lodge dues and poll taxes, for work stock, tractors and plows and for farm implements of every kind and description. They furnished money with which to buy cows and sows, and feed, seed, fertilizer and for the harvesting and marketing of crops. They provided funds for the purchase of stock in corporations and for the payment of dues in cooperatives. Thousands of families who received financial assistance from the FSA are now much more heavily involved in debt than they were at the time they were taken on the program. . . . Many came on the program owing nothing and are now involved to the government to the extent of \$7,000 or \$8,000, and have no chance whatever of paying the loan now or at any future time.

"Every effort of the agency in furtherance of collective or cooperative farming and its long lease tenure has been a farce and a fizzle and has resulted in heavy losses of Federal funds."

How much longer can the American people afford cradle-to-the-grave planning?

REVITALIZING THE CHURCHES

Churches in the United States must undergo a militant change if they are to satisfy the demands of our returning war veterans, in the opinion of chaplains who have been serving with our armed forces.

While a great many of our millions of men and women in uniform have been awakened spiritually through the war, they will not be satisfied with churches which face the past rather than the future.

Inspired with a new conception of religion, they are prepared to demand that the churches assume leadership in social and political fields hitherto explored by comparatively few clergymen, according to a magazine article by the Rev. James W. Fifield, Jr., entitled "The Boys are Ready for the Churches—Are the Churches Ready for the Boys?"

"They who have lived dangerously want the churches to be bold, to take risks and face the future, rather than the past," Dr. Fifield states. "They expect the church to champion democracy, including both its responsibilities and its rights. To satisfy them the church must exalt and enrich family life, must develop and fight for a practical program for permanent peace, and must regain its authoritarian voice by returning to absolute truths and standards."

Unless there is a religious revival in the world there will be more depravity, in the opinion of Dr. Fifield, who believes the war has prepared the world for a possible religious renaissance.

"The war is blowing up the earth and making it ready for new crops, one of which may be a great religious renaissance," Dr. Fifield asserts. "It will require energies and devotion comparable to those being poured into the war. It will require a revitalized and rededicated church which conquers the religious illiteracy of its members and makes them recognizable as Christians."

"Such an end depends on sound religious revival which has to develop within individual people, common people, soldiers and civilians alike. When that impulse develops, God blesses it and by the alchemy of His spirit makes it fruitful as a new crop."

Maybe the writer knows what he is talking about—maybe he doesn't. If he is an honest churchman and trying to help in a difficult problem, well and good. However, there are plenty of people in America who

are attempting to wreck all existing institutions without thought of tomorrow.

We don't mind tightening our belt to help feed those who have actually starved under Hitler's conquest, but we danged sure don't sympathize with the idea of taking food away from Americans to ship it to the fantastic Nazi troops who are held prisoners in Europe and are being fed the same kind of food which are supplied to American armies, while at the same time American boys in German prison camps would starve if it were not for the Red Cross packages which are delivered to them.

Cow Camp Scene Included in P. E. Pageant

A typical, fascinating scene that is to be included in the dramatic pageant prepared by the Girls' physical education department for April 12 will be the Cow Camp scene in which six college boys, under the direction of Laverne Pollard, will entertain.

Dressed in appropriate attire, the boys will be Charles McDonald, Bill Montgomery, Wayne Thomas, Lindsey Taylor, Jimmie Hampton, and Lawrence Kendall.

One of the actors will accompany on his French harp while the others sing, swap western yarns, illustrate fancy roping, and entertain in true cowboy style in a camp on the Texas prairie.

Most of the portions of the pageant will be given by girls in the various education classes, but thru the cooperation of many other students offering their talents, the program is being perfected daily. The complete story of the Palo Duro canyons is to be told in pageant form in picturesque settings.

Short Red Cross Course Will be Summer Feature

A special feature of the Summer School will be a short course in Junior Red Cross work given by a representative from the Red Cross office in St. Louis.

The representative will be on the campus for one week June 18 to June 23, and will present materials on the organization and activities of the Junior Red Cross. The work will be given in connection with Education 411. Special emphasis will be placed on ways in which the Junior Red Cross can be used as an educational resource in subject matter fields on the elementary level.

Education 411 carries the usual three hours of credit. While no additional credit will be given for the week of special work, anyone who is interested is invited to join the group for this period of activity. Teachers who teach in schools which have active Junior Red Cross organizations will profit from the work to be offered.

Miss Ruth Lowes of the Education Department will be glad to answer questions concerning the nature of this special feature.

It is well to remember that courtesy is not rationed.

Don't Wait Until "Pyorrhea" Strikes

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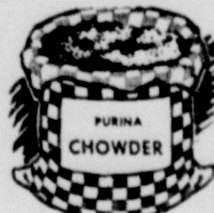
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News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the
Randall County News of
April 8, 1920)

16 votes were cast in the school election. Trustees named were G. G. Foster, S. B. McClure, Joe Service, J. A. Cheatham.

John Marshall of Sherman was named a member of the board of regents by Gov. Hobby. Mr. Marshall was a member of the locating committee which selected Canyon as the site for the normal in 1909.

16 votes were cast in the city election. J. W. Reid, C. D. Lester and J. M. Redfearn were re-elected to the city council.

Editor J. M. Adams of the Plainview News withdrew as a candidate for the legislature.

Joe Friemel bought the Thornton store at Umbarger.

Windfield Miller underwent an operation for appendicitis at a Dallas hospital.

Capt. Freed Is With Army in Belgium

Capt. Conrad Freed, head of the Speech Department, on leave for military service, has been transferred to Depot Headquarters as Assistant Adjutant. He was in Belgium at the time he wrote this news to President and Mrs. J. A. Hill.

Capt. Freed misses his friends in Canyon for he says, "The Prairie comes regularly and is much appreciated. Many of the names are unfamiliar, but there are many, many references to those I know and miss. The progress of Olin, and Al and Fred Hart, and Bob Hibbetts, and Swineford, and others in and out of the army provides me with material for many fine moments of recollection."

He also writes that his son whom he has never seen is now learning to walk. Mrs. Freed and the baby are living in Detroit, Michigan.

Mexico Resident Enrolls in Course in Correspondence

The Spanish department of West Texas State College now has a correspondence student whose address is Article 123, No. 53-22, Mexico, D. F. Mexico. She is Mrs. Javier Calderon, and she is taking the second half of freshman Spanish.

W. T. has soldiers who are in the South Pacific, in England, in France, and in the Philippines among its correspondence students.

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Praises Museum and Palo Duro Canyon

By J. Frank Dobie in Dallas News

I have been out to Amarillo and Canyon, making talks and not feeling lonesome at all in the cause of freedom. Out there I again experienced the feeling of being in a region that is at home with itself. Not everybody believes the same way, not by a long sight. But there is a kind of coherence among the Plains people, a kind of loyalty to its traditions, history and culture, a kind of homogeneity, based on natural characteristics of the Plains country.

So far as English-speaking inhabitants are concerned, it is the newest part of Texas. More than 400 years ago Coronado led his expedition into it. It is entirely possible that 400 years from now historians will still be debating as to where he made tracks. The state of the country today would be no different had he never made any tracks at all. The white man's first occupation of the land was with cattle, but hundreds of thousands of Texas cattle had gone up the Chisholm Trail to Kansas and many herds had gone to Louisiana, to California and to other parts of the nation before Goodnight brought his herd into the Palo Duro Canyon in 1876 and established the first ranch in the Panhandle. Men yet living can remember when the history of the region, so far as civilized settlement on the land is concerned, started.

The institution that has done most to cohere both the traditions and the people of the Panhandle is one that belongs to the Plains people. It is the Panhandle - Plains Historical Society, sponsored by the West Texas State College at Canyon, and the museum on the college grounds at Canyon. The historical society was organized in 1921. It has been issuing a book annually since 1928. Evetts Haley edited the first two volumes; L. F. Sheffy has been editor since 1930. The society has filed in its archives thousands of interviews with pioneers, women as well as men, and this material is indexed and cross-indexed, so that if a researcher wants to find information on schools, mustangs, Billy the Kid, XIT Ranch, barbed wire or any other subject out of multitudes, he can find it. A great feeder for this reservoir of Panhandle-Plains history has been a course that Professor Sheffy has been teaching in the college for maybe twenty years. I do not know of any other collection of data concerning a particular region so comprehensive and so rich, particularly in the biography of every-day settlers and in details about the natural phenomena of the land - droughts, winds, rattlesnakes, buffaloes, prairie grasses, nearly any feature you might mention.

The Lobo Pup
The society has published many documentary articles. One complete volume, for instance, is devoted to the strange history of the Rocking Chair Ranch. I have a strong leaning for the pioneer reminiscences. For instance, take Col. Jack Potter's story of a lobo pup.

"We had just finished our spring round-up when we got orders to go out to a watering place on the edge of the Plains known as the Tules to kill out the wolves. It was the time of the year for pups to be leaving their lairs. Our orders were to put in twenty days resting our mounts while we destroyed pups and shot the old ones when we had a chance. Our camp was established near a spring and an old adobe house, and two posses of eight men each were sent out.

"The posse I was with rode out through the sand hills for seven miles until we came to a hardpan flat with gyp or chalk bluffs around it about six feet high. We soon found a lair and dug into it with pick and shovel and found seven pups. We killed them and kept their scalps, as there was a small bounty on them.

"After scouting around for an hour or two we found the second lair. Here we unearthed five pups. They were almost old enough to leave the lair and no doubt had received a few lessons from their mother. We killed four of them and one of the boys asked for the last one to keep as a pet. He tied a short piece of worn halter rope around its neck and mounted his horse, carrying the pup on the pommel of the saddle. We got back into camp just before dark.

"The pup was tied in the old vacant adobe house at the camp and some beef and a pan of water were placed before him. He refused to eat or drink. As we were sitting around the camp fire that night a wolf came up to the top of a hill not more than 200 yards away and commenced howling. She kept it up all night. The next morning fresh water and beef were offered the pup and again he refused to touch it. When the second night came he still had not tasted the food.

"At dark while we were sitting around the camp fire, the mother wolf started her pitiful howling from the hilltop again. After listening for a while the owner of the pup got a rope and stakepin and

went and got the pup. He took him on about seventy-five yards from the camp and picketed him with a long rope tied to the original short piece. He said, 'I am going to let him nurse his mother!'

"After he had come back to the fire and talked about twenty minutes the mother wolf ceased her howling. We called his attention to this and he went out to see how the pup was getting along. He found that the rope had been gnawed in two. The mother had out gnawed us all and had released her pup."

In 1841 the Texan Santa Fe Expedition set out to annex New Mexico to the Republic of Texas. It got lost on the then unknown Texas Plains long before it reached New Mexico. George W. Kendall wrote the saga of that expedition. With it was a man named George W. Grover. A chronicler that he composed in the Rosenberg Library at Galveston. Bailey Carroll edited this for the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review in 1936. Here is a paragraph:

"We struck the Wichita River at an Indian village of the Waco tribe. On both sides of the river there were fields of corn planted in the Indian manner; there was also kershaws and pumpkins. The country around was of a very red and rich soil. Higher up the river on the west bank the country was very high, a Musketeer soil. The beans on the Musketeer trees served as a substitute for coffee and also ate well to man and beast." You know how hard up for both coffee and vegetables the expedition had become.

Place Names of Plains

In another volume Frank P. Hill has an article on the Place Names of the Plains. "Many years ago an old Mexican, Jesus Perea by name, one of the biggest sheepherders of all time, his flocks containing upwards of 60,000 head, was a nomadic inhabitant of these Plains. His flocks grazed around Tahoka Lake, the Yellowhouse and Blanco Canyon; in fact, anywhere that sufficient water and grass could be found for so great a number of sheep. One night, while camped on the draw north of Punta del Agua, he heard the terrifying cry of a wildcat. His sheep became restless. He ordered his dogs and his Mexican helpers to circle the flock. Perea dropped down on his hands and knees and crawled out to the edge of the flock, near the place where he thought he had heard the scream. Soon, just ahead of him, he could see the wildcat dragging a lamb. It was a dark night, and the wind was from the opposite direction. Perea maneuvered through the sheep to intercept the cat, and at the opportune moment the Mexican gave a mighty leap at the animal, grabbing him by the throat. The wildcat clawed and bit deep gashes into the Mexican's body, but Perea finally succeeded in pulling a knife with which he killed the animal. Thereafter, the hero was sometimes known as Gato Montes Perea, and his helpers named the canyon Gato Montes-Wildcat Canyon."

One of the best things the society has ever printed is L. F. Sheffy's The Spanish Horse on the Great Plains. Commenting on the natural sense of direction of this remarkable horse—and I had rather have a good Spanish dun than many of the modern quarter horses—he quotes at T Anchor cowboy: "After the T Anchor ranch was fenced a prairie fire broke out one day to the south and west of the ranch. There were two gates on this line of fence; one on the Terra Blanco Creek and the other up on the prairie along the south line. Several of us T Anchor boys in going to the fire that morning, went out at the south gate. The fire was finally put out late at night. On our return by going to the south gate we could save about ten miles. We were about twelve or fifteen miles from the south fence. The question was raised among us as to whether we should try to go to the south gate, or whether we should go to the gate on the Terra Blanco, which we knew we could find easily. Finally the boys asked me if I could go to the south gate. I replied immediately that I could. We started out. I let my horse, Brown Dick, have the reins and he did not miss that gate fifty steps. There was no trail of any kind to guide him. He had gone out at the gate that morning and he knew the way back."

The old T Anchor headquarters ranch is near Canyon. It belongs to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, and is in effect a part of the museum. Actually, the wonderful Palo Duro Canyon Park is in a way another annex of the museum.

More Money Needed
You can go into the museum and get nearly as much pleasure out of watching citizens of the Plains Country who visit it as you derive from the exhibits themselves. The people recognize something that belongs to them and come to see significance in their own cultural inheritance. A ship is more graceful than a wagon; I have seen some

beautifully carved ships, but I have never seen one that said as much to me as the model of a J. A. Ranch chuck wagon, complete and accurate in every detail, that two J. A. men made for the museum. No place ever had a golden throne more in place than the assortment of rawhide-bottomed chairs in this museum out on the Plains. The horns of Old Blue, Charlie Goodnight's famous lead steer, speak as eloquently as the noblest antlers that ever surmounted a hall gable.

I wish the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society had a million dollars to make a natural history museum that would represent all Plains life. I don't know any other civilized institution in the state that has done more with as limited means, but it takes money to comprehend vast spaces. Surely some day some of the great fortunes in Texas so devoted to ways of the past will give something to civilized pictorialization of the beautiful, dramatic and bountiful natural life of that past.

Wayside Items

A nice Easter program was rendered by the Sunday School. After which Rev. J. M. Menefee preached. There were 76 present. A Bible was presented to the largest family present which was Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamblen's, and a corsage presented to the eldest person which was Mrs. Kibbler. Mrs. Minnie Moore was a close second.

Rev. J. M. Menefee and family were dinner guests in the Wyatt Heisler home Sunday.

Mrs. John Patterson is improving satisfactorily and expects to be brought home first part of the week.

Mrs. Tub Ramsey and little daughter, Jeannette, of Amarillo attended Easter services and visited in the parental J. E. Culwell home Sunday.

Mrs. Eunice Hankins and children and Mrs. Jack Buster and children attended Easter services and visited in the parental A. L. Stevens home over the week end.

Dinner guests in the W. H. Hamblen home Sunday were Mrs. Romona Fulton and little son, Jimmie, from Canyon, Mrs. Doris Gillham and girls, and Mrs. Carl Rogers and children from Happy; Mary Lillian Gillham from Groom; and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin were Canyon callers Saturday and visited in the Roy Franklin home.

J. E. McGehee and family from Canyon attended Easter services here.

They have had a well drilled at the Baptist parsonage and are getting the house fixed up nicely.

W. H. Hamblen is having a stock well drilled.

W. R. Franklin has word from his sister, Mrs. Roy Smith of Mulino, Oregon, that their son, Virgil Lee, has finished his boot training as a Merchant Marine and is now out at sea.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mahler are having some more rooms added to their house. W. R. Franklin is the carpenter.

REQUEST WITHDRAWN

"I came in to ask you for your daughter's hand in marriage," said the young man.

"How much salary do you receive per week?" asked the father.

"Fifteen dollars," replied the young man.

"Tut, tut," snorted the father. "Why that wouldn't keep my daughter in pocket handkerchiefs."

"Is that so?" replied the young man. "Well, if she has a cold that much of the time, I don't want her."

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Umbarger Items

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckman and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beckman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lankford and family were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Aline Lindemann Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bracht and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Diller Sunday evening.

John Francis Gyllenband from Fort Worth is a new member of the school in Umbarger.

Laura and Henry Berend were dinner guests in the home of Cyril Diller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Friemel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Begert and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Schoenberger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frische and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ferring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friemel and family visited with relatives in Nazareth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hollenstein and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Frank, Sr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beckman and daughter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hollenstein and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Meinrad Hollenstein Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wieck and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Irlbeck and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Friemel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bircenfeld and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel and family visited with Bill Bauer and son, David, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grabber and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bertrand Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman and family visited with relatives in Nazareth Sunday.

Former Music Professor Tells About France

Houston Bright, who is on leave from the Music Department, is now in France. A letter written by him early in March is interestingly informative. He writes to Dr. Wallace R. Clark.

"Come now a few lines from the warrior. Only I'm not a warrior yet, really. Haven't been assigned yet, but it won't be long, now, as the actress said to the bishop.

"I wish I could tell you of the places I've been and the things I've seen in these few short days. But I can't say much without betraying localities, which is dangerous to military security, as I know you well understand.

"However, I've seen Scotland (beautiful), England (fascinating), and France (ruined). I'm sure anyone who has been in old France long enough to love it (that shouldn't have taken long—you can see that) would weep to see it now. Wreckage and ruin everywhere, ridden with poverty and disease, a land of beggars from the infants up. Grown men shamelessly follow U. S. troops, picking up discarded cigarette butts and carefully store them away in their pockets. I could go on like this for pages, but that one picture is enough to illustrate the plight of these people. The Army feeds them and partially clothes them, too. Yet there is hardly a man, woman, or child that wouldn't gladly give his week's bread ration to any American soldier who would take it—they don't care whether he's hungry or not; they just want to do something for us."

Mrs. Keefer: Emma, when you wait on the table, please don't spill anything.

New Maid: Don't worry, Ma'am. I never talk much anyway.

Didja Ever See Such a Stubborn Guy?



V-NEWS

Do you know how to store garments containing acetate rayon? You may have had the experience of storing a blue rayon crepe dress and finding the color changed to a redder shade in certain spots when you were ready to wear it again. The same thing often happens to tan, it becomes streaked with pink. This fading is caused by the action of acid gases in the air on some colors used to dye acetate rayons. These acid gases are found in the atmosphere in the average home, in almost every location in summer or winter.

Which fabrics contain acetate rayon? The following contain some acetate rayon: most dress crepes, some gabardines, twills, flannels, some linen-textured rayons, shantung, some failles, bengalines, and satins. Made entirely of acetate rayon are jerseys, taffetas and moires.

How may one store fabrics containing acetate rayon? (1) Give all washable clothes that contain acetate rayon a final rinse in a solution of washing soda. One heaping teaspoon to a quart of lukewarm water. This will minimize atmospheric gas fading. (2) Don't store acetate rayon in or near paper. It has been found that paper tends to accelerate gas fading. Wrap acetate rayons in old sheets, hang them in cloth garment bags or store them in wooden or metal trunks or boxes. (3) Felt and wool also tend to increase gas fading. Store acetate rayons away from these materials in a closet or trunk by themselves if you have the room.

Easter Service Was Dedicated to Capt. Wilbur P. Wofford

Easter Service at the Methodist Church was dedicated to Captain Wilbur Pickett Wofford, who was killed recently in England. Capt. Wofford was in the Medical Corps of the Army Air Corps. He was a son of Mrs. C. D. Wofford, supervisor of Cousins Hall.

The church was decorated with Easter flowers for this service by Mrs. Wofford, and appropriate church bulletins were contributed by her for the occasion.

Returned Sailor: Hawaiians have the same weather almost the year around.

Grandpaw: Well, how do their conversations begin?

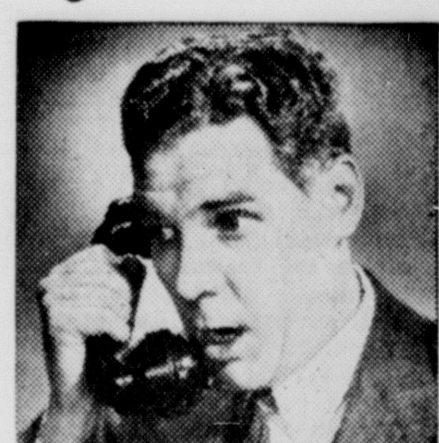
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- Living Room Suites
- Bedroom Suites
- Throw Rugs
- Lamp Tables
- Coffee Tables
- Floor Lamps
- Table Lamps
- Pictures
- Mirrors
- Dining Room Suites
- Frankoma Pottery
- Wooden Toys
- Oval Rivets
- Cap Screws
- Machine Bolts
- Plow Bolts
- Tractor Belts
- Water Bags
- Laether Buckles
- Spee Dee Cement
- Hydraulic Fittings
- Hydraulic Couplers
- Stop & Waste
- Fence Knobs
- Vegetable Slicers
- Wood Spoons
- Utility Scales
- Churn Dashers
- Extra Slim Files
- Round Files
- Coleman Generators
- Plow Handles
- Charm Bracelets
- Cream Separator Oil
- Street Brooms
- Warehouse Brooms
- Le Pages Glue
- Liquid Solder
- Sandpaper
- Emery Cloth
- Stove Bolts
- Lag Bolts
- Rotary Pumps
- Lock Washers
- Wrought Washers
- U. S. S. Hex Nuts
- Greeting Cards
- Curry Combs
- Light Globes
- Stationery
- Split Nail Knobs

THOMPSON'S

The secretary of the Treasury has a room papered with covers of July magazines designed to promote the Fifth War Loan. He keeps the key to the room, shows it to personal callers.

"I tell you, Chuck—it's serious!"



"Seriously, Chuck, we may not get new cars until 2 or 3 years after V-Day!"



"It's had me worried. After all, I need my car and have to make it last! So here's what I did..."



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Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

Eleanor Pierle Bride of Arthur Robinson in Calif.

Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in Redlands, Calif., Miss Eleanor Pierle, daughter of Dr. C. A. Pierle of Canyon, became the bride of Arthur Robinson, son of Mrs. William Robinson, in the beautiful home of Miss Leona Mitchell, cousin of the bride.

Dr. W. D. Pratt, pastor of the 1st Congressional Church of Redlands, read the impressive double ring service before an improvised altar in the drawing room which was decorated with all white flowers.

Tall candelabra, a bank of palms and ferns made the background for lower candelabra and large baskets of white ornamental peach, mock orange, lilies and spirae.

Mrs. A. Richmond of Bell, Calif., played several piano numbers, preceding the ceremony and then the traditional wedding march.

The bride, who was given in mar-

riage by her father, Dr. C. A. Pierle, wore a white suit and orange blossoms. She carried a white Bible on which rested white camellias. At her throat she wore a diamond brooch, worn by her mother and her grandmother at their weddings.

Mrs. Richmond Grace of Los Angeles was matron of honor and Mr. Grace was best man.

Following the ceremony the guests were invited into the dining room where the wedding cake was cut and served with ice cream, candies, salted nuts and coffee from a table which was centered with an exquisite centerpiece of white azaleas, mock orange, yellow daffodils and maiden hair fern.

Presiding at the table were Mrs. William Robinson of Los Angeles, mother of the bridegroom and Mrs. W. C. Kunze of Canyon, a friend of the bride.

Mrs. Robinson is a graduate of West Texas Demonstration High School and West Texas State College. She attended Colorado College for Women at Denver where she majored in Library Science. For

several years she served as librarian in high schools on the plains.

Mr. Robinson is a graduate of Canyon High School and attended West Texas State. For the past several years he has lived in California.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB MEETS MONDAY HONOR MRS. CARRUTH

Mrs. Clarence Thompson entertained the Friday Bridge Club Monday night to honor Mrs. Irby Carruth of Waco, former member of the club, who was here for the Easter holidays.

For a centerpiece in the dining room a crystal bowl of forsythia intertwined with porcelain birds and butterfly and humming bird figurines was most attractively set on a mirror reflector. Red buds were gorgeous in the breakfast room.

A dessert course was served to the following members, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. Bill Smith, Mrs. Lee Foster, Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick, Mrs. W. C. Black, Mrs. Guy Harp, Mrs. Tom Knighton, guests, Mrs. T. S. Maxwell, Mrs. Ray Campbell, Mrs. Allan Farlow, Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mrs. Felix Neff, Mrs. J. J. Walker, Mrs. Ted Reid, Mrs. Travis Shaw, Mrs. L. F. Sheffy, the honoree, Mrs. Carruth and the hostess.

FOSTER AND NEBLETT HONOR MR. AND MRS. IRBY CARRUTH

Sunday afternoon approximately 80 guests called at the home of Mrs. R. A. Neblett to tea in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Carruth of Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Foster were joint hosts for the afternoon.

Guests were received by Mrs. Neblett, Mr. and Mrs. Carruth and Mrs. Foster.

Spring flowers were used throughout the entertainment rooms.

An Easter bunny sitting in a bed of grass and surrounded with Easter eggs and flanked with tall pink tapers formed the centerpiece of the dining table from which the guests were served pink, yellow and blue ribbon sandwiches, sugar coated almonds, salted nuts, individual cakes iced in pink yellow and blue, tea and coffee.

During the first hour Mrs. C. R. Burrow poured and during the second Mrs. W. C. Black poured. Mrs. E. J. Cundiff and Mrs. Dan Sanders assisted in the dining room.

MRS. COMBS HOSTESS TO ROSE WALKER CIRCLE

The Rose Walker Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. B. Combs.

After the meeting was opened with a hymn and a prayer, Mrs. C. Anderson brought the devotional from Matthew 28.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. J. I. Payton conducted the Bible study.

The Rose Walker Circle meets next Tuesday with the Lockett Circle at the church for quilting and to discuss the book.

Mrs. J. D. Key closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour, the hostess served refreshments to Mrs. J. I. Payton, Mrs. J. D. Key, Mrs. L. C. Ruthart, Mrs. W. E. Laughery, Mrs. J. T. Barnett, Mrs. T. T. Fain, Mrs. Jessie Reid, Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. Bullard, Mrs. J. C. Dowd and Little Joy Oldham.

CANYON A. A. U. W. MEETS WITH MRS. J. B. SPEER

The Canyon Branch of the American Association of University Women met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Speer Monday evening.

Preceding the business meeting the study groups met for an hour. Miss Helen Hickman and Miss Nell Green read Moss Hart's "Winged Victory," the drama of the Air Forces, to the Drama Group.

The Literature Group enjoyed a review of "Anna and the King of Siam," by Margaret Landon, given by Miss Margaret Barrett.

A contribution of \$32.00 was made to the National Fellowship Fund. Dr. Hattie M. Anderson will represent the local branch at the meeting of the Texas division in Waco next week.

Each branch will hold a meeting on May 29 in lieu of the A. A. U. W. National Convention, planned for that date, which has been cancelled.

Miss Virtis Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lowe, returned from New York City, Saturday after having spent six months there as Western Union operator. She returned via Chicago, where she was introduced on the Breakfast Club Friday morning.

Mrs. Lee Kennedy and son, Don, returned to their home in Frederick, Okla., Tuesday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Dan K. Usery and Peggy Jean.

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McCASLIN AND INGHAM GIVE BOOK CLUB PROGRAM

On Wednesday, March 29, The Woman's Book Club held its regular meeting in the Thompson Club Room. An unusually good program was given.

Mrs. Nancy McCaslin made a very timely report on "The Yalta Conference." Great credit was given to the wonderful progress made there in planning for the persecution of the War and arranging for the Peace. This talk was followed by an outstanding talk by Mrs. S. L. Ingham on "De Gaulle" of France.

Eighteen members were present, and the club adjourned by singing "God Bless America."

MILLER HOME SCENE OF EASTER DINNER SUNDAY

An Easter dinner was the occasion of the party in the Henry Miller home Sunday with Mrs. A. Kampen and Misses Clara and Betty Ann Miller as hostesses.

Decorated to carry out the Easter theme, the dining table was centered with colored eggs in a nest of green shredded paper while tall green and yellow tapers burned at each end. Streamers of green and yellow paper on the white linen cloth marked the table in squares while the places were marked with an Easter egg bearing the guest's name.

A delicious dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albers, S-Sgt. and Mrs. Roy Trussell, Miss Phyllis Albers, Pfc. Victor Kroeger, Lt. Al Redfield, Lt. Oliver Raatz and the hostesses.

Rev. C. C. Armstrong left Monday morning for Chicago to drive Mrs. C. C. Armstrong, Jr., and little son back to Texas. S 1-c C. C. Armstrong, Jr., has been stationed at Great Lakes and his family was there with him. He was transferred to New Orleans, but was not permitted to drive his son and wife that far. Rev. Armstrong will return home Friday.

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Pfc. Cole Thurman writes his mother from a rest camp some where in France that he has been in Belgium and Germany and has won an Infantryman's combat medal. He is serving with a heavy motor squadron.

Miss Geraldine Porter underwent an appendectomy in St. Anthony's Hospital Monday. She is reported to be doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pond and Oleta from Borger were week end guests of C. G., C. H. and K. L. Ponds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bonds of Borger visited their sister, Mrs. C. G. Ponds, who also had as her week end guest her mother, Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Pvt. J. D. Hollabaugh reported to Spokane, Washington, Monday after having spent a 17 day furlough in the parental E. I. Hollabaugh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robbins and baby son from Pampa spent the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Bess Robbins.

Mrs. Sanford Black, Jr., returned to Abilene Monday afternoon after having spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Black and Evelyn.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 12

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Program Begins 8:15

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W. T. High Will Start on June 5 States Savage

The Demonstration School of West Texas State College will open June 5 and its work will continue for ten weeks according to announcement made by Professor F. E. Savage, its superintendent.

A fee of \$7.50 for one unit of high school work and \$10.00 for 1½ or two units of work will be charged in the high school department. Mr. Savage states that two units is the maximum for any one student and only students who have an average of B or better in their previous high school work will be allowed to take as much as two units.

Arrangements have been made for board and room in the dormitories at prices ranging from \$70.00 to \$80.00 for the ten weeks. High school girls of senior classification will be allowed to reserve rooms at Stafford Hall, other high school girls may reserve rooms at Cactus Lodge. Superintendent Savage states that girls should write to Mrs. Geraldine Green for information concerning room reservations and boys should write to Mr. Mitchell Jones.

The demonstration High School will have a program of indoor and outdoor recreation activities planned especially for high school students.

It is stated also that state adopted textbooks will be furnished for all

regular courses.

Besides work on the high school level pupils of elementary age can also attend during the entire ten weeks' session. Pupils in the elementary school will pay a fee of \$4.00 each.

Superintendent Savage has announced the following schedule for classes:

8:00 to 9:00	American History
Algebra II	
English I and II	
9:00 to 10:00	English IV
Algebra I	
Speech	
American History Laboratory	
Algebra II Laboratory	
10:00 to 11:00	English IV Laboratory
Algebra I Laboratory	
American History	
English I and II	
Algebra II	
11:00 to 12:00	English IV
Algebra I	
Speech Laboratory	
English I and II Laboratory	
1:30 to 2:30	World History
English III	
Art	
Manual Training	
Civics	
Plane Geometry	
2:30 to 3:30	World History
English III	
Art	
Manual Training	
Plane Geometry	

3:30 to 4:30

Laboratories for subject that cannot be scheduled in the mornings. If sufficient demand is made, physics may be offered.

BREAKFAST FOR STUDENTS

The college students are cordially invited by the Protestant Episcopal Church to attend a breakfast for them at the Little House of Fellowship April 8, at 9:00 o'clock.

Dr. B. F. Fronabarger will head the discussion at the breakfast hour.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shenefelt spent Sunday in Clovis, New Mexico with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Campbell and with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Campbell.

Miss Carlee Wirt of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thompson and children spent Sunday in Plainview in the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hayden.

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Mr. and Mrs. Velton Sogee who are teaching school at Muleshoe spent Friday night in the parental M. E. Sogee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gerald and boys from Vernon spent Easter week end in the parental Ed Gerald home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hood and children from Blivins Station spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Key and Sylvia.



"My mom's the best cook in the world"

"She keeps my mug and porridge-bowl and fruit dish full of wonderful things. An' she keeps that big blue jar on the shelf full of lovely cookies. An' Oh Boy, you should see the pies and cakes and roasts and vegetable dishes she fixes up... She really IS the best cook in the world!"

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CARROTS, Bunch 5c

CELERY, Crisp Tender, Stalk 19c

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STEAK, Loin, lb. . . . 38c

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY, APRIL 6-7

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NOTICE Water Users

The elevated tank of the city is being emptied for repairs on

APRIL 10, 11, and 12

Please do not irrigate or use water unless necessary on those days—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

CITY OF CANYON

Happy Birthday

- April 6th—
Louise Tucek
Mrs. Winfield Miller
H. B. Hales, Jr.
Mrs. E. Gidden
Katie Tucek
- April 7th—
Anna Belle Laughery
Mary Jo Knox
Leroy Boehning
Mrs. L. T. Barksdale
L. E. Thomas
Walter Stubblefield
- April 8th—
Eldon McCarter
- April 9th—
Dr. H. A. Brown
Lola Margaret Pitt
Mrs. Leland Graves
- April 10th—
N. E. McIntire
C. G. Pond, Jr.
- April 11th—
D. M. Foster
Bill Patke
Mrs. Bob Harlow
Jean Prater
- April 12th—
Billy Jean Gill
Carol Sims
Carl Sims
John L. Hammond

M. C. Sanders

World Order Study Presbyterian Church

"The Cost of World Order" is the general theme for the study at the Presbyterian Church for four Sunday evenings at 8:00. Herschel Coffey will lead the first study on "The Economic Cost of World Order," this coming Sunday evening. Mrs. John R. Sharp, representing the Ladies Auxiliary, will lead the devotional period.

The following Sunday evenings the political, social, and Christian fellowship costs will be discussed. The Dumbarton Oaks Proposals, the Cleveland Conference on the Churches and a Just and Durable Peace, and the United Nations Conference in San Francisco, will be studied. Everyone who is interested in these subjects and the opportunity and responsibility of the Church at this time is invited to attend these meetings.

Miss Josephine Flores from the Worley Hospital in Pampa, spent the week end in Canyon visiting relatives and friends.

Sailor Girl Shows How



NICKNAMED "INCHES" because she is the shortest in the crew of this woman-manned British Navy boat, this girl makes a big leap ashore to tie up as the boat comes alongside. For the past three years, "Wrens" (Women's Royal Naval Service) have manned duty boats up to 60 ft. long in British naval waters. In all weathers they take mail and stores to warships and bring sailors to shore on leave.

Infant Shoes to Go on the Ration List Under OPA

Shoe rationing will be extended May 1 to include the entire size range of infants' leather shoes—an action taken to help build up critically needed supplies of infants' leather shoes in the larger sizes already rationed, District OPA Shoe Rationing Officer has announced.

At present, rationing covers infants' leather shoes in sizes 4½ to 8, the size range most babies need when they begin to walk. There is an acute shortage of these sizes in many sections of the country. The new provision will put the smaller sizes 0 to 4, which are in relatively plentiful supply and are worn chiefly by babies in arms, on the rationed beginning May 1.

Largely because sizes 0 to 4 have not been rationed, demand for them has soared out of proportion to actual needs. The result has been that these shoes have absorbed too much of the manpower and production facilities and too much of the scarce types of leather suitable for making the much more urgently needed toddlers' sizes.

It was emphasized that only infants' shoes using leather will be affected by the new provision and that it is believed that non-leather types of shoes should be adequate to take care of the footwear needs of infants not yet at the walking stage.

Inclusion of the infants' smaller size leather shoes on the rationed list was suggested by the industry itself.

BOUND TO GRUMBLE

They still talk at Sing Sing about the prisoner who always grumbled at everything. When he was sentenced to death, and as he left the courtroom, he grumbled, "Silly old duffer. Why does the judge want to keep me waiting three weeks?"

The Black Maria was waiting, and he grumbled about having to ride in "a blooming booby-hatch like that" and demanded a taxi.

Being in death row, he could order what he liked, and he had a steak. As soon as he got his knife into it he grumbled at "this here confounded tough meat again."

At night he complained of his mattress, and by day he grumbled at his cell. At last came the time for the execution. The man was placed in the chair and pinioned. Then the warden said, soothingly, "Now you're all right."

"I don't know about that," replied the grumbling prisoner. "This blooming seat don't seem any too safe to me."

YIPPEE!

"I'm tired of this routine existence," exclaimed the fraternity brother to his roommate. "Let's do something extra-ordinary, startling, magnificent; something that will make our brains whirl, our pulse throb, and our hearts leap."

"Oke," replied the roommate. And so they studied.

A rookie was home on furlough. "What did you have to eat?" inquired his mother.

"Oh a little bit of everything," he replied vaguely.

"What do you mean by everything?" asked mother.

"Oh well, soup for instance," he answered.

STORM WARNING

"I don't know what's the matter with little man over there. He was so attentive a few minutes ago and now he won't even look at me."

"Perhaps he saw me come in. He's my husband."

SOUTHPAW

"Does it make any difference on which side of you I sit?" she asked.

"Not a bit," he replied. "I'm ambidextrous."

SIGN IN GROCERY STORE

"We know it's hard to get meat, butter, shoes and other things—but it's much harder to learn Japanese."

County Wide Drive for Old Clothes Begins

J. W. Kleinschmidt, County chairman of National Drive for old Clothes, announces the beginning of the drive in Randall County. The National Committee is asking for 150 million pounds of wearable, clean clothing. This includes shoes and bedding.

Mr. Kleinschmidt is asking all club and church organizations to work in units as they did so successfully in the March of Dimes drive.

All this clothing must be in this month. Every article turned in must be clean and wearable. Coats, odd vests, all pieces of clothing that can be worn are accepted.

The clothing will be left at the Red Cross Work Room on Monday and Wednesday from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock and on Saturday from 1:00 to 5:00 o'clock, beginning Monday, April 9.

Individuals who wish to bring clothing may leave it at the Work Room instead of working through a club.

Mr. Kleinschmidt urges that we get behind this drive and really put it over. This gives everyone an opportunity to clean his clothes closets of good clothing that has been put back for years for that some day need.

Palo Duro News

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller left last Wednesday for Brownwood where they are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harlow.

Miss Clara Miller is spending the week with her sister, Betty Ann, while their parents are away.

Mrs. Louise Meyer is still quite ill after a heart attack several weeks ago. Her daughter, Herta, is still at home caring for her.

Meade Michael spent the week end with Dick Barrett in Canyon.

Miss Barbara Michael spent Saturday with friends in Hartley.

E. H. Albers, Marvin, Bruce and Bob Albers spent Sunday with Mrs. John Albers in Canyon. Other guests included Mrs. Gene Root and family.

Mrs. Tom Harbert and daughters of Dumas and Mrs. John Albers visited in the E. H. Albers home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kuhlman entertained a group of friends with an Easter dinner Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Hartenberger made several calls in the neighborhood last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boehning and Lawrence spent Sunday in Amarillo with friends.

IN LARGE DOSES

Doctor: "Your husband must have absolute quiet. Here is some sleeping powder."

Wife: "How much do I give him?"

Doc: "You don't give it to him, you take it yourself."

Sammy: Mother, we are playing we are elephants at a zoo. Please come.

Mother: What can I do?

Sammy: You can be the lady that feeds candy and peanuts to the elephants.

Don't turn to drink to drown your sorrows; you'll only irrigate them.

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FOR SALE: Two lots on Fifth Ave., near the college; cheap; terms if necessary. Clyde W. Warwick. 1f

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FOR SALE: Three-quarter bed, two mattresses and springs; dining table. Mrs. H. M. Parker, 1902 8th Ave. 1t

FOR SALE: International Regular Farmall, good tires, engine uses very little oil. 2-row lister. Late model planter. 2-row loose land planter. 2-row sweep cultivator knives. 2-row knife blocks, power lift. 70¢ ceiling, about \$1100.00 Will take \$1000.00. Son in navy. Tractor is surplus. J. W. Spencer, 8 miles southwest Canyon. 5p2

FOR SALE: Milch cows, fresh and heavy springers. John Bryan, 4 miles west of town. 5p2

FOR SALE: Six room stucco house with basement, good closet space. Double garage, on pavement. 2000 6th Ave., Canyon. Phone 240 Canyon. 45t

FOR SALE: Dalton Adding Machine, 9 column; Underwood Typewriter; table model radio-phonograph combination; car radio; electric alarm clock; car jack. G. E. McCrate, Umbarger, Texas. 5t3

BABY CHICKS

From Blood-tested and culled flocks. White Leghorns on Wednesday and Heavies on Saturday.

MERIT FEEDS

SALSBURY'S REMEDIES

Meyers Hatchery
Canyon, Texas

FOR SALE: Bicycle at 705 17th Street. 1t

FOR SALE: Folding bed, excellent condition. Phone 399J after 5:30 o'clock. 1t

FOR SALE: Typewriters and adding machines. Typewriters cleaned. G. E. McCrate, Umbarger, Tex. 1p7

FOR SALE: 5-room frame house on church property south of track in Umbarger. To be moved. Sealed bids will be taken at the church Rectory until 10:00 o'clock May 1. Possession given July 1, 1945. Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Wm. Jansen, Vince Friemel, Conrad Westhoff and Clarence Beckman, trustees. 3t4

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST: Brown leather billfold with pictures and name Helen Spencer. Call 9018F12. 1t

STALLION FOR SERVICE: Palomino quarter stallion, Ralph Bryan, 6½ miles east, ½ mile south of Ralph Switch. 5p4

FOUND: W. O. W. pin. Owner can have paying for ad. Call 9003F2. 1t

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WANTED: House or apt. Inquire M. E. Moses. 5t1

IF YOU want to SELL your farm, ranch, or business property, I have buyers with the cash. Also have some good one for sale. I would like to buy small house to be moved. See, call or write Jack Culp, 711-10 Pisk Bldg., Amarillo, Texas. Phone 8811. 5t3

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Seniors To Stage "My Cousin From Texas" Tomorrow

My long lost cousin from the Lone Star State has arrived. This relative will have to be referred to as it for the time being since it isn't known whether it is a man or a woman. Were you ever in the predicament of not knowing whether one of your cousins was a he or a she? The Scott family, namely Beulah, Lucille, Sheila and Wilbur, had this problem. After two attempts, they finally ascertain its sex, but not until Beulah has headaches galore.

Yes, "My Cousin From Texas," to be enacted by the senior class in the high school auditorium tomorrow night at 8:00, is just about that mixed up.

Is It Love? Is love at first sight lasting? Can it last from one summer to the next without encouragement. This is a question confronting Sheila Scott. Here she is ready to marry Preston Rogers when Johnny comes in from

a "silly summer romance." Sheila then has the tribulation of deciding between Johnny Benton, a handsome outdoor type with a daring personality and Preston Rogers, a good looking city chap with a pleasant but colorless character. Wouldn't you be puzzled too, especially if Johnny has an untoppable conceit and Preston has scads of money and your mother just loves him. What is her decision—it may surprise you.

Enter Texas

Cactus Kelly, a tall handsome cowboy from Texas, will have the same effect on the female audience as some of the Hollywood fellows. But he gets mixed up in the cousin confusion too. After thinking it over, maybe he isn't so outstanding after all since he's chasing after a woman just like all the others. But the woman he's after is worth the trouble since it's that beautiful Tomasina Cooper from Texas.



Sheila Scott has more accidents and catches more diseases! Now she's sprained her ankle but eventually she forgets to limp. Something screwy is going on, but what?—come Friday night and find out. Players shown are: Preston, Beulah, Wilbur, Cactus and Johnny.

Tomasina is running away from Cactus because she thinks he's in love with a Mexican senorita and Cactus is trying to convince her that he's not. How are their troubles ironed out? This is something new in the way of a whirlwind conclusion to a romance.

Is She Peaceful?

Tables are turned on who's after who when Peaceful, the Scott's colored maid, falls madly in love with Eshew, Johnnie's valet. Will they end up altar bound? This adds a new turn to events—the thing you least expect.

Oh, no! Doris and Lucille haven't been entirely forgotten. Doris is the one Sheila depends on to get her ready for matrimony since

Beulah is such a rattle-brain. In other words, Doris is the level-headed one in the crowd.

Sis Steps In

Lucille steps into the romantic picture and walks off with top honors. So you haven't figured out which one of the above mentioned heroes she could snag for her very own? It's one of 'em—but which one—come and find out.

Wilbur is too young to speak much of, namely ten years old, but how would you like to eat fifteen loaves of bread in a three act play? A trifle steep, eh?

Cast members and the remainder of the senior class will be expecting you tomorrow night at eight o'clock. Don't miss this evening of fun with

"My Cousin from Texas," which has been directed by Miss Birdie C. Crabtree and Mrs. Dan Sanders, sponsor of the class.

This shot shows Dr. Johnny Benton, not M. D., discovering a severe case of "congested liver" just by looking down Sheila Scott's throat. The onlookers—Doris Weaver, Lucille Scott, Preston Rogers, and Mrs. Scott—don't believe that there is such a thing, either. But why would someone be looking for a case of congestion of the liver if they didn't really have it? You'll never know until you come to the play tomorrow night at eight. Don't be late!

CAST OF "MY COUSIN FROM TEXAS"	
Peaceful Johnson	Billye Ponder
Mrs. Beulah Scott	Ellen Root
Sheila Scott	Ellen Sanders
Doris Weaver	Margaret Lair
Wilbur Scott	Earl Lock Neff
Lucille Scott	Sue Ann Moreman
Preston Rogers	Harley Hicks
Johnny Benton	Tommy Thompson
Eshew Smith	Bobby Black
Cactus Kelly	J. Spencer Winn
Tomasina Cooper	Betty Brown



Those colored servants seem to be offering some amusement to our Texas friends, Cactus and Tomasina. It seems Peaceful is determined to convince Eshew that she is the woman for him. There is the surprise of the evening. Just keep wondering till the big night; then come and satisfy your curiosity.

The Eagle's Tale

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Surrounding School Athletes Take Part in District Meet Saturday

Coch Sanders Supervises Track and Field Events

Canyon High School will be the host at the District Interscholastic League Track Meet Saturday at the West Texas State College campus. Coach Milton Sanders will be in charge of the track and field events.

Harold Erwin, James Meroney, and Clifford Burtz will participate in the 100-yard dash; Malcolm Gunter, Marvin Fite, and Sandy Oliver, one-mile run; Harold Erwin, J. Spencer Winn, and Edwin Bailey, 220-yard dash; Billy Abbott, Charles Wright, and Meade Michael, 880-yard run; Easton Wall, Rusty Davis, Billy Thurmon, and Wilbert Long, one-mile relay; Harold Erwin, J. Spencer Winn, James Meroney, and Clifford Burtz, 440-yard relay; Billy Abbott, James Meroney, and Wilbert Long, pole vault; Billy Abbott, Kenneth Vaughan, and Clifford Burtz, running broad jump; J. Spencer Winn, Kenneth Vaughan, and Austell Burrus, running high jump; Charles Taylor, J. Spencer Winn, and John Gill, 12-pound shot put; Wilbert Long, Charles Taylor, and James Meroney, discus throw.

Martha Jean Aven, Anita Johnigan, Pawn Rogers, Velta Speer, Nancy Wilson, Marilyn Johnigan, and Bonnie Drake represent Canyon High School in volleyball.

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REPAY THEIR EFFORTS Are you coming to the senior play? These seniors have spent a lot of time and brain-work on this play and would really appreciate your support.

Some of the teachers have taken time off in order to coach this project without any extra pay. After leaving school they have come faithfully every night of practice in order that the seniors might be able to produce good entertainment.

Underclassmen will be the ones to benefit most from this since the seniors are using the proceeds to buy a gift for the school.

In view of all these facts, won't you all turn out and give them your support?

—by Rose Hugg.

To the growing youngster, home is but a filling station.

'Old Fuss and Feathers' Glares But Utters Nary a Scream

One afternoon, about ten years ago, several football boys skipped school and took a trip to the Canyons.

This happened on the afternoon before a football game with Hereford that night. The boys: Henry Wiggins, Earl Cross, R. T. McDaniels, Howard Williams, George Murphy and John Pool, saw an eagle which was wounded. They ran it down in a car, put it in a pasteboard box, and brought it back to Mr. I. B. Carruth, superintendent. Mr. Carruth put the box in his office and journeyed off to the ball game.

After the game, Mr. Carruth went to his office and there was that live eagle sitting on his desk, staring at him and looking more vicious than ever. It almost scared him to death, but after his fright was over, he and the boys took the bird to Mr. Sims and had it stuffed. The eagle has been in the same place in the superintendent's office ever since.

(Incidentally, we won the game with Hereford.)

Members Discuss Assembly Plans

After making plans for a Spanish assembly program various members led activities at the Spanish II club meeting last Wednesday.

Ellen Sanders led a quiz on South America. Sue Ann Moreman led a verb drill and Ellen Root the singing of Spanish rounds.

Due to conflicting dates beyond control, Paysoux, the Magician and Hypnotist, did not appear in Canyon High School yesterday as had been previously announced.

WORN SHOES

Along about now some of those winter shoes are looking rather shabby, but are much too good to discard.

Well, here's what you do—bring them to Worth's for reconditioning—soles and uppers—and they will give you months more wear. Remember, shoes are precious.

WORTH'S Shoe Shop

Grade Notes

Mrs. Roscoe Davis' second grade had an Easter egg hunt at Mrs. Ed Money's farm Thursday afternoon. Nacio Luna found the most eggs for the boys and Ila Mae Brown won for the girls.

Levon Jackson from San Bernardino, California, enrolled in Mrs. H. P. Doughty's third grade Monday.

Mrs. Robert Orton's first grade went on an Easter egg hunt Thursday. Kenneth Vieth found the prize egg and all the children received little Easter boxes filled with candy eggs.

Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. H. R. Cocanougher, and Mrs. Clyde Waggoner gave Mrs. A. K. Goodman's third grade an Easter egg hunt Thursday. Before the hunt the children and Mrs. Goodman had hidden gifts, baking dishes, for the roommothers.

Several of the mothers treated Mrs. L. M. Cousins' fourth grade to Dixie cups and each child received a brightly colored Easter egg.

Two children withdrew from Mrs. Hazel Atchley's fourth grade last week. Mattie Bell Hicks moved to Lubbock and Robert Dale House moved to Centerville. The roommothers gave this class an Easter egg hunt with refreshments afterwards.

Mrs. A. L. Walsh's 5-W students entertained Mrs. Mitchell Jones' 5-J students Thursday with a tea. Before the tea a program was given. A play entitled "Where The Easter Rabbit Went" was presented by Fritz Hogge, Katherine Shellnut, Donna Sue Brasher, Raymond Bennett, Ivanna Richardson, and Ella Jean McDuff. After the play Dorothy McReynolds, Fritz Hogge, Betty McGehee, and Sherma Dixon sang several popular songs. Ted



By Vergie Ruth Haines

That woman-catcher Billy Abbott tied for third place at 9½ feet in pole vaulting and Winn, Wright, Abbott, and Meroney won fourth place in the medley relay in the Great Plains Relay last Saturday at West Texas State College. Not bad, eh, against such stiff opposition? Three AA schools carried off all other honors.

For you volley ball fans who would like to know more about the game itself, here's how it is played. With a team of six on each side of the net, the ball is put into play by the server from the left-hand side of the court. Volleying the ball back across the net with not more than three volleys is the object of the game. When a side fails to do this, the other side gains a point. The first team to gain fifteen points wins the game. Rotation of players offers each an opportunity to play different positions.

These Canyon High athletes have a good chance of shining Saturday in the Interscholastic League Meet to be held at West Texas State College with Coach Milton Sanders in charge of the track events. What say some of you folks come out and see 'em shine!

Nicklaus played two selections on the violin and Richard Sanders read a story entitled "Easter Greetings To Betty." The program ended with the group singing "Old Rugged Cross" and "He Lives On High."

Mrs. John Davis' and Mrs. W. E. Miller's sixth grades had an amateur program last week. Refreshments consisting of bar candy and soft bottled drinks were served.

Hutton Speaks—Lair Changes Mind Again

In the general confusion which is to be found in the journalism department any Monday afternoon, several students were engaging in so-called conversation.

Margaret Lair, the girl who changes her ambition at least once a week, presently announced that she was planning to go to California and model dresses.

Up spoke Leroy Hutton: "Who on earth would wear a dress after SHE'D had it on?"

School Cartoon Contest Affords Talented Students Opportunity

Press Club Members Seek New Pen and Ink Artists



Sure is awful to be out of town on the week-end but—I fooled ya this time, I had my sekertary posted!

The surprise of the year happens to be that good looking junior boy, Malcolm Gunter, and Dorothy Sanders, one of those daring freshman girls, on a date Thursday night!

What happened to Charlene Simons, that black eye and all?

Maybe it's hear-say, but "Rusty" Davis wants to go with you, Charlene Davenport.

Is it Marvin Fite or Don Hickman that you like, Suzanne Stevenson? How 'bout that, Wilbert Long?

Too bad you didn't have a car at the schoolhouse Monday evening, wasn't it, Mrs. Sanders?

Weren't those cute Amarillo boys that Ellen Root and Sue Ann Moreman were with Saturday night? How do you do it, girls?

Tommy Thompson came home three dollars richer from the senior stag party. We wonder how he did that?

Who is this Billy Dugan that Jessie Harding is so crazy about?

SENIOR PERSONALITY

NAME: Marilyn Johnigan

FAVORITES:

Food: Fried chicken

Drink: Four Hundred

Color: Green

Actor: Tom Drake

Actress: Ann Sheridan

Boyfriend: Like 'em all

Song: "Tico Tico"

Sport: Girls' basketball

Pet Peeve: Smart alecs

PERSONALS:

Height: 5' 7"

Weight: 115 lbs.

Hair: Reddish Blonde

Eyes: Green

Mrs. Nora E. Gilmore, sponsor, and Ellen Root, editor, announced Monday that the Press Club will sponsor a cartoon contest beginning today for all Canyon High School students, including seventh and eighth graders.

The three best cartoons will be published in The Eagle's Tale shortly after the close of the contest. There will be three first places and two second and third places. Each student may submit as many cartoons as he wishes.

All entries must be in by April 19. Cartoons should pertain to timely subjects. Strictly impartial judges will determine the winning cartoons according to originality, timeliness, cleverness, and neatness. The decision of the judges will be final, and all cartoons will become the property of The Eagle's Tale.

Pageant Presents Various Nations

Representing the merging of different nationalities that make America, the fourth grade under the direction of Mrs. Hazel Atchley and Mrs. L. M. Cousins presented a joint program in the gymnasium Wednesday morning to the grade school and again in the afternoon for the parents.

Decorations in the gym consisted of murals and dolls, all made by the fourth grades, dressed to represent the different countries.

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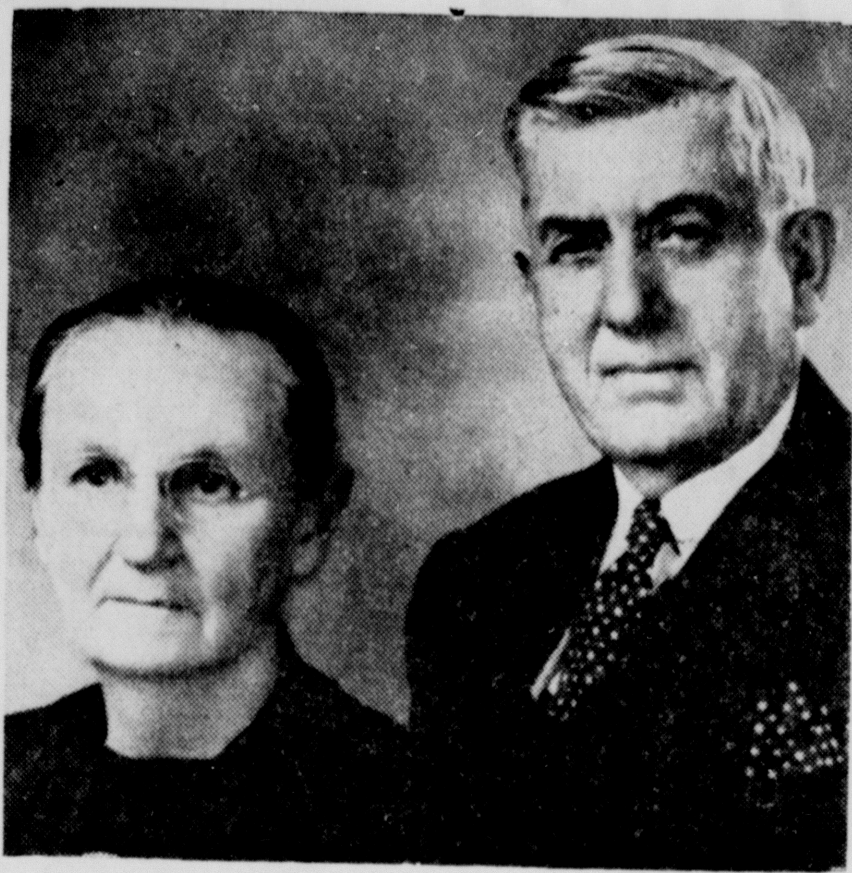
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It was open house Saturday and Sunday for more than seventy-five friends and relatives who gathered to surprise and honor Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allred on their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

James Milton Allred and Anna Kuehn were married at Bowie, Texas, March 17, 1895 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allred. They lived near Bowie in Cook county until 1905 when they came to the Panhandle to visit and locate. Forty years ago in 1906, they bought a section of land 15 miles northeast of Happy, Texas and made their home on that farm until August, 1939 when they moved to Good-

night, Texas. Guests to the open house were served from a dining table covered with a white linen cloth, set buffet style with white china decorated in a gold design. The table was centered with a pot plant of golden blossoms set in gold and silver tinsel and tied with a wide bronze ribbon.

At the end of the dining table against the wall was a small table centered with a huge wedding cake

topped with a miniature bride and groom standing under a bell with the word "Marriage" in gold letters on it. The cake was artistically decorated at the base with clusters of gold icing rosebuds among gold gilded leaves alternated with light yellow ribbon rosettes on white icing. On either side of the cake were white china vases engraved with gold ribbon bows and bands which held talisman roses with fern.

Placed at the front of the table were small, pastel colored, paper napkins bearing the date and name, 1895, James Milton and Anna, in gold letters. Above the table hung a heart shaped gold framed mirror.

Many gorgeous and useful gifts were brought or sent.

The occasion was a homecoming for four of the six children of the couple. Lee and his wife of Eden, Texas; Addie of Dexter, New Mexico; Mike and Buck of Happy. Mrs. Alma Warner and J. M., Jr., live in California and could not come home at this time.

Other relatives of the family present were: Mrs. W. W. Allred, her son Dave and wife; a daughter,

Mary; and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allred, Jr., with two little boys all of Dalhart, Texas, nieces of Mr. Allred, Mrs. Maude Robinson of Amarillo, Mrs. Alice Gerdson, husband and baby of Canyon; a nephew, Edwin Kuehn of Happy.

Friends were from Wayside, Happy, Canyon, Amarillo, and Goodnight. The friends for the longest number of years were Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Zachry of Canyon whose place joined Mr. and Mrs. Allred's home near Happy.

Buffalo Quintet Is Honored at Recent Banquet

"Personally, I do not deserve this and couldn't have won it, except for the other fellows," commented Deacon Johnson, who was presented with a Bulova wrist watch, awarded him for excellent play during the National Intercollegiate Tournament held in Kansas City on March 12-17. J. W. Malone received a Bulova for gaining the high honor of being named guard on the National Intercollegiate All-American team Johnson was named center on the second string All-American team.

The watches were presented to the boys at a special banquet given in honor of the basketball team Wednesday night at the Amarillo Country Club. President J. A. Hill was the speaker of the evening and Dr. D. A. Shirley was toastmaster.

Special guests were Regent Newton Harrell, Putt Powell and Harry Hoare of the Amarillo Globe-News staff, Jerry Malin and Mr. Roebuck of the Amarillo Times staff, Glyndon Riley, Bob Crudgington and Ross Rogers, Frank Stockman, ex-Buff, Virgil Henson and Travis Shaw special rosters of the Buffalo Basketball quintet.

Coach Gus Miller introduced the basketballers, Captain Clark Johnson, Bill H. Allen, Bill W. Allen, Rufus Graves, J. L. Houser, Johnny Johnson, Don Leach, J. W. Malone, Kenneth Simpson, Dick Wiggins, Charles Young and James Scott, manager. The boys in turn introduced their dates, June Russell, Nadyne Coker, Mrs. Clark Johnson, Dorothy Daniels, Jill Cooper, Mary Hanna, Ruby West, Opal West, Evelyn Elliott and Thelma Hefley.

The Buffalo quintet made an extremely high record this season, scoring 1266 points against their opponents 1025 points. The boys entered the National Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament in Kansas City, on March 12-17, but were eliminated in the quarter finals.

Charter No. 14090 Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN CANYON

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 20th, 1945, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$1,004.23 overdrafts)	\$1,107,297.93
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	531,497.19
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	15,500.00
Corporate stocks (including \$2,350.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	2,350.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	1,202,253.39
Bank premises owned \$17,500.00, furniture and fixtures	\$3,000.00
Other assets	75.00
Total Assets	\$2,879,473.51

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,475,625.80
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,894.79
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	3,272.71
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	294,010.05
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	9,834.30
Total Deposits	\$2,786,637.65
Total Liabilities	\$2,786,637.65

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	27,000.00
Undivided profits	3,335.86
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	12,500.00
Total Capital Accounts	92,835.86
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$2,879,473.51

MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed pledges to secure deposits and other liabilities	50,997.19
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	15,000.00
Total	\$ 65,997.19

Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	294,010.05
Total	294,010.05

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss:

I, W. C. Black, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. C. BLACK, Vice President and Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26 day of March, 1945.
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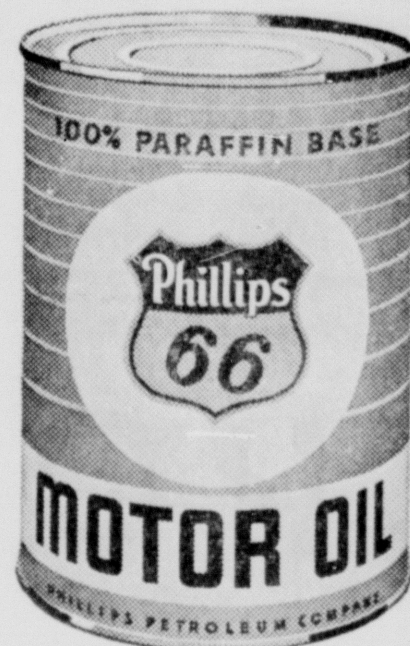
would probably like to echo Junior's words. They're the patriotic motorists who want to take the best possible care of their cars . . . who want to be sure to get a fine quality motor oil. They say, "We know we should use a quality oil. But how can we tell which oil is fine quality?"

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Sign on the back of an automobile seen in Wichita Falls, "Caution—a blind man is driving this car!" That startling declaration causes the observer to look as he is going past the machine and he notices, on the side, the name of a Venetian blind company!

Times change. Can you remember when the big magazine writers were praising Mussolini for his work in Italy—because the trains were ran on time?

And a traveler named Wells visited Russia and then wrote a book called "Kaput," meaning "finished—no good." Wonder where Wells is, by the way? Maybe he's "kaput."

There are so many little children on the buses these days that it is rumored the 1946 models are going to be equipped with sandpiles and see-saws.

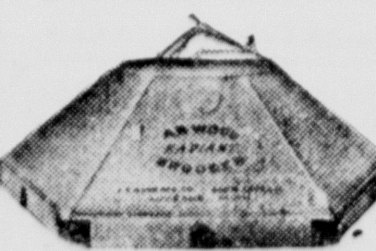
The life of Sam Bass (so I hear) is to be filmed—Wayne Gard of the Dallas News wrote a biography of the Texas Robin Hood some years ago. . . . E. H. Whitehead, one of the outstanding Chamber of Commerce executives of the State, is now a publisher, having acquired the Polk County Enterprise in Livingston. . . . C. L. Douglas of the Fort Worth Press has had a nibble from Hollywood on his fine book, "James Bowie," the first full-length biography of one of the three most colorful Texans. The other two? Sam Houston and Big-foot Wallace. . . . Tom Foster, former publisher of Kilgore, is editor of the Seabee, a handsome publication. Foster has been serving in the Seabees for about three years.

A favorite story: A business man called in one of his creditors and said, "I'm going to go broke but I

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am going to make you a favored creditor." The other said, "How much are you going to be able to pay on the dollar?" The merchant said, "Not anything." His friend said, "Then how do you figure I'm a favored creditor?"

Region One Music Festival Meet Planned for May 4

The Annual Competition Festival of Region One of the Texas Music Educators Association will be held Friday, May 4, on the campus of West Texas State College, according to announcement made by Mr. Glenn Truax, director of the college band.

Mr. Truax states that there will be no marching contest for bands. There will be solo competition in all classes and instruments. Medals and plaques will be awarded winners.

This year any band, orchestra, or choir may choose the selection it wishes to perform at the contest. All directors who bring contestants must have paid their 1945 membership fees in the Texas Music Educators Association to the treasurer Mr. O. D. Wiley, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Texas, before May 4.

A little later a bulletin will be sent to all interested schools. It will give details as to the fees and deadlines for arranging to attend the Competition Festival.

It is expected that this meeting will be an important one to bands of the entire region.

Mr. Clyde Rowe of Amarillo is president of Region One.

SHOULD HAVE BEEN THERE

Topkick: "I've been informed that you were drunk last night and were pushing a wheelbarrow down the main street in Alexandria."

Private: "That's true."

Topkick: "And where was I all that time?"

Private: "In the wheelbarrow."

You can judge a man as well by his foes as by his friends.



Twain Was Right!

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Fairview Breezes

Last Sunday the men in our community set Thursday for a day to finish the class rooms at the church. Sunday the classes assembled in their respective rooms for classes. This arrangement was a pleasure to all. Mrs. J. W. Wesley was chosen for primary teacher and Miss Vesta Amerson was chosen junior teacher in the B. T. U. Everyone is urged to cooperate with the superintendent, Mr. Sharpes, in his work to make this a graded Sunday School. Everyone come to Sunday School.

The Randall County Sing Song Band is invited to Fairview the 3rd Sunday for an all day singing. Come. There will be plenty to eat at the noon hour.

Approximately 60 guests gathered Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson with basket lunches to honor Mrs. C. M. Rogers who is greatly improved in health after a long period of illness. She was presented with a lovely pot plant.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley, Lavina Amerson and Mrs. Hollis Shipman attended the singing at Valleyview Sunday afternoon.

Geraldine Sharpes and Payerene Schaeffer were visiting with their parents Saturday night.

The E. W. Schaeffer family, S. F. Sharpes family, G. E. Wesley, Lavina Amerson and Vesta Amerson and the E. M. Wilson family were shopping in Amarillo the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sutton visited Sunday with Mrs. Sutton's mother and sister-in-law, Mrs. Holman, Mrs. Leroy Holman and little niece, Mrs. L. H. Barnard and children, Charlene and Roger, with Mrs. K. S. Head attended the dinner for Mrs. Rogers Sunday.

Mrs. S. F. Sharpes and Mrs. Alfred Allen honored Mrs. Dallas Zachry with a miscellaneous shower Friday afternoon from 3:00 to 4:00 o'clock.

Guests were ushered in by Miss Etta Jean Sharpes. Mrs. Jean Sutton, sister-in-law of the honoree, poured punch from a lovely punch bowl while the guests served themselves cookies.

The many lovely gifts were presented by Mrs. Gene Sutton and Mrs. Alfred M. Allen.

Seventeen guests signed the guest book.

EPISCOPAL VESPER SERVICE
Regular 5:00 o'clock Vesper Service will be held in the Protestant Episcopal church Sunday, April 8 by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Scott.

COULD BE
"So you met your wife at a dance? Wasn't that romantic?"
"No, Embarrassing. I thought she was at home taking care of the kids."

BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Roy L. Johnson will preach at both hours Sunday, April 8, on "A Scriptural Description of the Kingdom of God." These messages are part of a series of eight messages being delivered this month on this important subject. Friends are invited to bring their Bibles for these timely topics. Preaching will be at 11:00 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Sunday School at 9:45 had an attendance of 389, according to announcement of Virgil Henson, the superintendent. This brings the average to 303 for thirty-one Sundays, which is a record attendance.

Training Union, with special programs on the nature and purpose of man in the plan of God, meets at 7:15, and there are separate meetings for all age groups. Adults especially will enjoy the topics.

Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study at 8:15. Visitors are welcome.

VICTORIAN

A discussion in the barracks the other night swung to girls. "I like the shy, demure type myself," said a buck sergeant. "You know—the kind you have to whistle at twice."

"Whaffo you sharpenen 'at razor?"

"Woman, they's a pailh o' gent-men's shoes under you' bed. If they ain't nobody in dem shoes I'se gonna shave."

METHODIST CHURCH

Erico Verissimo, a Brazilian, who is in Canyon for Pan-American week at the college will be the speaker at the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. Verissimo is a novelist and in 1935 won the Brazilian equivalent to the American Pulitzer Prize. His book which ranked as a best selling novel in 1937 was inspired on the sermon of the mount and named "Behold the Lilies of the Field." His writings include a travelogue, a biography, two didactic novels for juvenile readers, and several books for children.

In 1941 he visited this country for the first time, staying for three months. At the invitation of our Department of State he returned to the United States in September, 1943 to lecture on Brazilian Literature at the University of California, Berkeley.

GIFT TIE

The moment my eagle eye spotted The gift tie you chose with such pride,

I know 'twas unfit to be knotted—But, dear, was I fit to be tied!

Philip Lazarus.

Teacher: Izzy, do you know your alphabet?

Izzy: Yes, Ma'am.

Teacher: What letter comes after "A"?

Izzy: All of 'em.

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Adm. 9c-25c

SUNDAY — MONDAY

BING CROSBY — BETTY HUTTON

"HERE COMES THE WAVES"

MARCH OF TIME

Also News — Selected Shorts

Sunday Show Continuous from 1:30 p. m.

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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

EDWARD ARNOLD

"Main Street After Dark"

Selected Shorts

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THURSDAY - FRIDAY

Van Johnson — L. Barrymore

"BETWEEN TWO WOMEN"

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